

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

August 28, 2003

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IN RE: IMPLEMENTATION OF THE)
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS) Docket No. 03-00460
COMMISSION'S TRIENNIAL REVIEW)
ORDER)

PETITION TO INTERVENE OF AT&T

AT&T Communications of the South Central States, LLC ("AT&T") moves to intervene, pursuant to T.C.A. § 4-5-310(a), in the above-captioned proceeding.

AT&T is a certified, competing local service provider in Tennessee. This proceeding will address, among other things, the terms and conditions under which AT&T may operate in Tennessee and, therefore, may determine AT&T's legal rights, duties, privileges, immunities, or other loyal interests. Granting this intervention is in the interest of justice and will not impair the orderly and prompt conduct of this proceeding.

At this time, AT&T does not intend to participate actively in the initial phase of this proceeding which will address issues relating to the provision of service to business customer being served over high capacity loops i.e., "the ninety-day proceeding." Order of August 19, 2003, at 2. AT&T intends only to monitor that proceeding. AT&T does, however, reserve the right to participate more fully in this proceeding or to address the impairment issue if the matter is raised by other parties or by the Authority.

AT&T, therefore, asks that this Petition to Intervene be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

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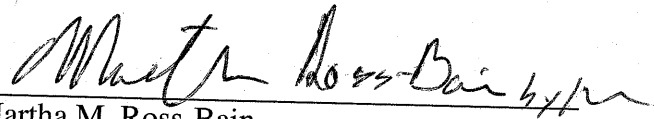
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been forwarded
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